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PATENT APPLICATION

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 10012116-1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s):

John W. Huffman

Confirmation No.: 2953

Application No.: 09/883,621

Examiner: Kimberly D Nguyen

Filing Date:

6/18/2001

Group Art Unit: 2876

Title:

Face photo storage system

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